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In re Application of:)
Judson, et al.)
Application No.: 09/712,658)
Filed: November 14, 2000)
For: SYSTEM, METHOD, AND)
APPARATUS FOR ORIENTING)
IMAGES)

DECISION ON REQUEST TO
WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY

This is a decision on the Request To Withdraw from Representation filed January 23, 2004.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney of record should indicate thereon the present mailing addresses of the attorney(s) who is/are withdrawing from the record and of the applicant. The request for withdrawal must be signed by every attorney seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of another/others. A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least 30 (thirty) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period which can be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). The effective date of withdrawal being the date of decision and not the date of request. See M.P.E.P. § 402.06. 37 C.F.R. § 1.36 further requires that the applicant or patent owner be notified of the withdrawal of the attorney or agent.


The request does not include signatures of each of the listed attorneys seeking to withdraw or a clear indication that Mr. John G. Flaim is signing on behalf of the others.

Accordingly, the request is **GRANTED** only for John G. Flaim.

Since the Office does not recognize law firms, and the request is otherwise only in the name of John G. Flaim, it does not cover all the attorneys currently of record. Therefore, all other attorneys/agents remain of record.

All future communications from the Office will be directed to the below-listed address until otherwise notified by applicant. This correspondence address is provided by the withdrawn attorney. Applicant is reminded of the obligation to promptly notify the Patent and Trademark Office (Office) of any change in correspondence address to ensure receipt of all communications from the Office.

The application file is being returned to the examiner for appropriate action as required.



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